

Dedication

To my son Philip David Kohn  
And my granddaughter Melissa Sara Naugle.

And to the memory of  
My Father Dr. Siegfried Kohn,  
My Mother Sara (Margulies) Kohn,  
And my daughter Julia Alison (Kohn) Naugle.

And to the memory of  
My childhood friend and cousin,  
Helga Charlotte Kohn,  
and her father Albert Kohn.  
And the many other close relatives  
who perished in *HaShoah*.

And to the memory of  
My father's older brother,  
Wilhelm Kohn,  
Who died in 1914, shortly before *Yom Kippur*, at the age of 17,  
fighting in the Austrian army during World War I,  
and after whom I was given my middle name.

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